



AMONG TOP PROSPECTS . . . who have checked out equipment with the Warrior nine this season are, from left, outfielder Bob Thompson from Inglewood, shortstop Frank Raia of Morningstar, second sacker Grant Newton of Leuzinger and catcher Dave Marsden from North High, Torrance.



MEET POSTER GIRL . . . Red Cross fund leaders here meet Poster Girl Cindy Peterson. Douglas Bird is Southern Branches Fund chairman and Mrs. Helen Lackey is Torrance residential chairman. Cindy, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Peterson of Redondo Beach, underwent newly developed open-heart surgery last fall to repair a hole in her heart. Sixteen pints of O-positive blood supplied through the Red Cross blood program by her family and friends made this surgery possible.

On Feb. 25, 1933, the USS Ranger, first aircraft carrier wholly designed and built as such, was commissioned at Norfolk, Va.

Goal of \$11,500 Aim of Local Red Cross Drive

Doorbells began ringing in Torrance March 1st as more than 500 local women initiated the residential appeal for the 1961 Red Cross Fund, according to Fred Mill, Torrance branch chairman for the Fund.

Torrance is aiming at a goal of \$11,500 for the 1961 Fund, according to Mill.

The door-to-door workers are under the direction of Mrs. Helen Lackey, residential chairman. Local business will encounter Red Cross volunteers of Mrs. Mary Pagac's business division. Larger industries in Torrance will be

FINAL TRYOUT DATE SET BY BABE RUTH
Al Welch, president of the North Torrance Babe Ruth League announces that final registration and tryouts of players will be held Saturday, March 11th, at 9 a.m. at Guenser Park, 177th and Gramercy Place. Boys age 13 through 15 are invited to register to play Babe Ruth baseball this season.

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BEST BUYS FOR THE WEEK

In Torrance Markets

Heavy winds and seas have hampered fish catches along the entire Pacific Coast. Good weather could reverse the situation immediately.

ROCKFISH FILLETS . . . the seafood of the month; with **CRABS, SEA BASS and FLEET OF SOLE** also in ample supply.

The Gulf of California season for **CORVINA and GROUPE** opened March 1. Should be in market by this time.

SHRIMP supplies are plentiful and imported **SPINE LOBSTERS** (1-pound size) are here, too.

Landings have been very limited, although the salmon season opened on the Columbia River recently. There is plenty of **FROZEN SALMON**, fortunately.

RED MEATS

Shoppers notice more than usual amounts of **LAMB** in market. A fine meat for early spring meals, and remember how **LAMB and ASPARAGUS** just seem to enhance the flavor of both? You'll find some excellent "buys" in **BEEF** cuts, also. They'll vary from lowered price tags on everything from roasts to steaks. **PORK** to be "specialized" here and there. Some fine **LOIN ROASTS and CHOPS** to be had as well as **BACON and HAM**, the canned variety in particular. **CHICKEN FRYERS** are back on the budget list. Watch for them. All in all, if your family can't find one of their favorite meats in plentiful supply then they are pretty hard to please!

MARCH, traditionally "Egg Month," time to check your usual ways of cooking eggs. Fried eggs, probably the most popular. But if you want them with less fat, then "fry-pouch" them. Melt just enough fat to grease the bottom of the skillet. Hold over low heat. Add eggs, one at a time, then pour in 2 or 3 tablespoons water. Cover the pan tight. Steam until eggs are done.

To poach eggs, have salted water boiling gently in shallow pan. Slip eggs, one at a time, into the water. Reheat to simmering; take pan from heat; cover. Let stand 5 minutes, or until eggs reach desired firmness.

ON THE PRODUCE STANDS

ASPARAGUS in quantity will be flooding to market. Yes, it's springtime!

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Public Invited To See Harness Race Workouts



Oldtime railbirds at Santa Anita during the Western Harness Racing Assn. meet which opens next week will have to crowd a little closer to watch the morning workouts, if a new plan announced by the WHRA catches the public's fancy.

Beginning with the opening day of the meet, the morning workouts will be open to the public, officials have announced.

Those showing up at the track will be able to see training procedures of the 2-year-olds who will be the stars of tomorrow and will see some of the top trainers of the sport.

The best time to watch will be from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. officials say. Tables and Continental breakfast will be available for the daily workouts. No schedules are maintained on Sunday.

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Parnelli Jones To Drive Car In Famed '500'

Parnelli Jones, 27-year-old Torrance driver has been signed to drive the Willard Battery Special at Indianapolis Memorial Day, it was announced today by car owner J. C. Agajanian.

Agajanian, prominent West Coast auto and motorcycle racing promoter and owner of the winning car in the 1952 500-mile classic, predicted Jones would win

Sleek Chosen By Madrona

Richard Sleek was elected student president at Madrona Elementary School, Torrance, in elections last week, continuing the political activities of his family. His sister, Betty, was chosen as secretary

Last semester, Richard, Betty, and another sister, Pat, all were elected to student body offices in school-wide balloting. This semester, however, Pat decided not to continue her political career.

Other new officers include Sharon Coffee, vice president; Tom Meadows, boys athletic director; Larry Steuckrat, boys assistant athletic director; Nancy Heath, girls athletic director; and Charlotte Bliss, girls assistant athletic director.

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